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METHOD, ARRANGEMENT AND A PRODUCT OF A

COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR SIMULATING A TECHNICAL

SYSTEM

Customer Service Window Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street

Alexandria, VA 22314 Mail Stop AF

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AMENDMENT FILED CONCURRENTLY WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 5, 2007, and concurrent with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	33	-	43	=	0
Independent	3	-	3	=	o